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By ECF

The Honorable Brian M. Cogan
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Thomas Gioeli, et al.
Criminal Docket No. 08-240 (S-6) (BMC)

Dear Judge Cogan:

The government writes respectfully to request a one-week extension of time by which to submit its response to the defendants' pretrial motions, which is presently due on January 7, 2011. Accordingly, the government requests that it be permitted until January 14, 2011 to file its papers. Counsel for defendants Saracino and Cacace consent to the government's request. Counsel for defendant Gioeli has not yet indicated whether he consents to the request.

Respectfully submitted,

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